IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI WESTERN DIVISION – KANSAS CITY

GEICO GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, et al.,))
Plaintiffs)
v.) Case No. 4:22-cv-00082-CV-W-FJG
MARTIN BRAUNER, et al.,)
Defendants.))
and)
MARTIN BRAUNER, et al.))
Counter-plaintiffs,)
v.)
GEICO GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, et al.,)))
Counter-defendants.)

NOTICE OF REMAND OF RELATED MISSOURI ACTION

Defendants GEICO General Insurance Company and Government Employees Insurance Company (collectively "GEICO") respectfully inform the Court of the January 10, 2023 opinion from the Missouri Supreme Court in the underlying tort action captioned *M.O. v. GEICO General Insurance Company*, *et al.*, No. SC99732 (Mo. 2023). The Missouri Supreme Court determined that GEICO had a right to intervene before judgment, vacated the judgment, and remanded the case to the trial court to allow for GEICO's intervention. Thus, as GEICO explained in its summary judgment briefing before this Court, there has been no final judgment in the underlying tort case. *See*, *e.g.*, ECF No. 159, GEICO's Reply in Supp. Mot. Summ. J., at *5; ECF No. 160, GEICO's

Opp'n. to Brauner's Mot. Summ. J., at *11 n.9. A copy of that Missouri Supreme Court opinion is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

Dated: February 6, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

SHOOK, HARDY & BACON L.L.P.

By: /s/ Douglas S. Beck

Douglas S. Beck, MO #49984 Sarah Lynn Baltzell, MO #60937 W. Clark Richardson, MO #66948 Michael Hayes, MO #71922 2555 Grand Boulevard Kansas City, Missouri 64108-2613

Telephone: 816-474-6550 Facsimile: 816-421-5547

dbeck@shb.com slynn@shb.com wrichardson@shb.com mhayes@shb.com

J. Max Rosen (admitted *Pro Hac Vice*)
MUNGER, TOLLES & OLSON LLP
560 Mission Street, 27th Floor
San Francisco, California 94105
Telephone: 415-512-4000
Max.rosen@mto.com

Cary B. Lerman (admitted *Pro Hac Vice*) MUNGER, TOLLES & OLSON LLP 350 South Grand Avenue, 50th Floor Los Angeles, California 90071 Telephone: 213-683-9100 Cary.lerman@mto.com

Attorneys for Plaintiffs/Counter-defendants

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

	The under	rsigned ce	rtifies that th	e foregoing	g was filed	d and served	via the	Court's e	electronic
filing s	system on i	February 6	5, 2023, upo	n all counse	el of recor	·d.			

/s/ Douglas S. Beck